Appointment of Constables of Rivington

Maye it please you[r] hon[our] to be Informed that wee, the Inhabittant[es] of Rivington, beinge Requested to Certiefye oure knowledge howe & in whatt maner the Constables of Rivington have beene usually Apointed to that s[er]vice,

Doe hereby Certiefye youre hon[our]: that M[r] Pilkington, late Lo[rd] of Rivington, and since his deathe thoes that have had his Inheritance, have yearly had the sole onely denominatio[u]n & Apointemente of the Constables w[i]thin Rivington w[i]thoute gainesayeinge of anie man,

And thoes that weere by them soe Apointed have from tyme to tyme served the same office accordingly,

And this order hathe beene observed, as wee have heard oulde men Reporte, beyond the memo[ur]ie of anie man,

Soe w[i]th our humble duties wee Reste, and shall daly praye for you[r] hono[ur]: Marche the 12 1629.

his Age 48	M[r][?] Robart Shawe		
	Alexander Fielden my Age is 32:		
his age is	Georg Allens		aged Roger "T"
Hamer			
78	Marke		55
his age 31	John Crosse	his ayge	James[?] Hogson[?]
his aige	Raphhe Morris	48	Henry Hodgskinsone
his age			
62	marke		"I" James Usherwodd
40			
his aige 60[?]	Olliver Allens		sig[nu]m [mark] his
age 33			
34	Thomas Boouthes		Thomas Biwthais[?]
Aged …			
his aige	marke		
…	James Syme[?]		Richard Syme his age
…			
his age 68[?]	… …		marke
…5	William Bullough		George Unsworth[?]
his age …	his marke "X"		Richard Brounlowe
... …	Jephrey Pilkington		Roberte Ainswo[ur]
the			
45[?]	"P" marke		{ the Marke of
his age	Raphe Walell[?] his m[ar]ke "+"		{ Richard …

78	Thomas Wright[?]	{ aged 46 or
the…		
	aged 65[?]	